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NORMAL COLLEGE BASEBALL CHANCES ARE GOOD FOR 1925

ALMA HERE APRIL 24; FIRST
HOME GAME OF NOR-
MAL TEAM

ALMA NINE WILL BE HERE ON APRIL 24

Normals Start M. I. A. By Out
of Town Games at Albion
and Kalamazoo

Alma at Ypsilanti will be the first home baseball game of the season for the Michigan State Normal College team, Friday, April 24. Previous to this game Coach McCulloch will take his men on a three day trip to Kalamazoo and Albion. This makes two association games to be played the first week and one with Alma the second week of the season.

Prospects for a championship team are bright this year with nine letter men out for practice—Lau, Fenner, Hinkley, Patterson, Matthews, Lappeus, Shehan, Pfahler, Davidson. Besides these, Martin, Weeber, Thompson, Vining, Schaffer, Barclay and Vedder are making a strong bid for the squad.

Practice Started Monday

Practice started Monday with about fifty candidates out. With this large group some are certain to be disappointed early in the season, but those who don't make a wonderful start may step in the lineup later and take a position. Coach McCulloch, in talking to his candidates during practice, assured them that each would have a fair chance and would be given an opportunity to show their ability as soon as they have shown that they are worthy. He also stated that the letter men from last year need not feel that they had a position on the team until they had shown their superiority. In other words, the best man will fill the positions, which will make a winning team possible.

Other Teams Strong

The five other M. I. A. A. schools, Alma, Albion, Kalamazoo College, Hillsdale and Olivet, are claiming a strong chance for the title. Alma and Albion each have a large number of old men back.

LETTERS AWARDED FOR BASKETBALL

The awards for the past basketball season have been made. The following men were awarded letters: Captain Charles Lappeus, Ex-Captain Francis Davidson, Donald Draper, Leroy Pfahler, James Barclay, Robert Button, Ebenezer Chaffee, David Baer, John Heitsch, Frank Weeber.

Normal Choir Makes Its Appearance in Detroit

GIVES BACH'S PASSION UNDER
DIRECTION OF FREDER-
ICK ALEXANDER

(By James Breakay)

The Normal College Choir gave the Bach St. Matthew Passion music at the afternoon and evening services of the North Woodward Congregational Church, Detroit, Sunday, March 22, with Professor Frederick Alexander, conductor. They were assisted by the vested choir of the North Woodward Church, which is directed by Russell Gee of the Normal College Conservatory faculty.

The setting was entirely appropriate to the occasion. The white regalia of the choir, the dim light of the high-vaulted church, the conductor and reader in their robes of purple and black, altogether created the spiritual atmosphere for the great masterpiece of music. Then the rich fullness of the organ furnished a majestic foundation on which the choir's superb tonal structure could be built.

Much credit is due Mr. Gee who

STANDINGS

Questions regarding winter term standings will be answered on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week in Room 101, hours 8-12 and 1-5.
C. P. STEIMLE.

PI KAPPA DELTA TAKES MEMBERS

NINETEEN TO BE INITIATED
INTO FORENSIC SOCI-
ETY TONIGHT

The annual initiation of new members into Pi Kappa Delta, national honorary forensic fraternity, will take place tonight at the home of Professor McKay.

Nineteen new members will be taken in. The names are as follows: Professor C. M. Elliott, college debater in 1909; Professor A. A. Metcalf, college orator in 1915; Pearl C. Biggy, college orator in 1920; three members of this year's first team, Kirk Seaton, Eugene Knapp and Leon Wilber; six members of the second team, Edwin Stahl, Jacob Weitzel, Loy LaSalle, Will Irwin, William Underwood and Harold Locke; six members of the women's team, Ethel Helrigel, Gladys Bayler, Gladys Schutt, Elma Hall, Florence Westbrook and Alice Bradbury; and Reva Jarman, this year's woman orator.

Any one who has participated in an inter-collegiate forensic contest is eligible to membership in the fraternity.

REGISTRARS MEET AT BOULDER, COLO.

REGISTRAR STEIMLE REPRESENTS YPSI AT COLLEGIATE CONVENTION

Registrar C. P. Steimle leaves tomorrow for Boulder, Colo., to attend the convention of the American Association of Collegiate Registrars. Mr. Steimle is chairman of the committee of introduction. He is a veteran in the organization and will see that the registrars feel at home. Special coaches for the registrars will leave Chicago Easter morning to make the journey to the west.

INTERFRAT SPORTS REOPEN TUESDAY

The interfraternity quoits tournament will take place next Tuesday night. The track meet will be held April 21. The baseball League will be organized soon.

The interclass track meet scheduled for the 15th has been postponed until later because of the Ohio Relays which also come next week.

PITTMAN DEMOCRAT BUT NO POLITICIAN

NAME OF RURAL HEAD ON
BALLOTS IN SPIKE OF
PROTEST

Some time ago the evening paper conveyed the surprising news to Dr. M. S. Pittman of the rural education department that he was a candidate for Superintendent of Public Instruction in Michigan on the Democratic ticket. Dr. Pittman is an ardent Democrat but he is not an ardent politician, so he promptly phoned the state chairman of the Democratic committee to inform him that there had been a grievous miscarriage of good intentions. He stated that he could not accept the nomination. So, thinking everything was settled, our rural education leader went back to his bluebooks and his rattling Ford.

The next act of this play took place when Dr. Pittman received a sample ballot, featuring his name, from the secretary of the state committee. He again stated that he could not serve and returned to his peaceful vocation of assigning parallels and meridians to his zone schools.

Secretary of State Deland was interested in the matter, however, so a letter came from him asking how much our famous Democrat had spent to secure the nomination (not an accusation of a bribe but merely business). Dr. Pittman replied that he had spent nothing. In fact, his only expense was for a long distance call when he tried to refuse the honor. He still thought that he was not a candidate, but wait.

Sample ballots came to him from the various counties, proving that they regarded the matter very seriously. Another conference with the Democratic chairman revealed the fact that the process of selecting a new candidate would be too expensive for the party to finance. So Dr. Pittman's name remained on the ballot.

When the Normal News reporter interviewed the defeated candidate last Tuesday, he found the latter not at all cast down over the defeat. Nor did the reporter find him unduly elated over the news that he had run somewhat ahead of his ticket. In fact, the rural education professor had not been sufficiently interested in the Democratic politician's race for honors to read the morning paper containing the results of the contest! Can you beat it?

OLDS SENDS OUT SPRING TRACK CALL

The track team is now beginning spring workouts on the new track. Some of the men have been slow to respond to the call which was sent out just before spring vacation. The first meet is only a week away and all men are urged to report at once.

A weakness is evident in the field events. Men are especially needed in the shot put, discus, javelin, broad jump and high jump.

Anyone interested in track is invited to report for practice. The track is in fine shape and with the present weather conditions development of the men is rapid.

NEW TRACK READY FOR COMPETITION

The new athletic field has just been completed and the track men are working out on the new track. The pits are in excellent condition and have received compliments from many persons who have inspected them. There is a 220 yard straight away. The track is oval shaped a quarter-mile around.

Dedication for the track will take place April 24 when Ypsi meets Hillsdale here. The ceremonies will be planned later.

Installation of the new Y. W. C. A. cabinet will take place Wednesday, April 15, at vespers.

PROFESSOR'S PAPER BRINGS COMMENT

NEW YORK TIMES EDITORIAL
DISCUSSES PROF. JEFF-
ERSON'S VIEWS

Three quarters of a column of the editorial section of last Sunday's New York Times was devoted to the leading article in the April number of The Geographical Review on the formula of Malthus on the geometrical increase of population and the arithmetical increase of food, written by Professor Mark Jefferson of the Normal College. The Times did not mention, however, that Professor Jefferson is located at Ypsilanti.

The editorial in The Times was written in criticism of the "neo-Malthusian" conference on birth control which was held recently in New York.

The Times states of Professor Jefferson's article:

"He denies both the geometry and the arithmetic. Next to the universality of the growth of population he finds the most striking tendency to be a slowing down of the rate of growth in the larger countries. Malthus predicted a doubling of the population of the United States every twenty-five years. This held true up to 1890. But we are now thirty-four years away from 1890 and still 13,000,000 short of another doubling.

"Overestimating the growth of population, Malthus greatly overestimated the growth of food, according to Professor Jefferson," the Times continues. "The Englishman of 1798 could not foresee the conquest of the world by steam and the opening up of vast new food areas. Ironically enough, the check to population which he foresaw as supplied by hunger is really being supplied by abundance, by an increased standard of living. Those classes to whom the day's food is a standard problem are increasing much more rapidly than those which take no concern for tomorrow's bread."

NORMAL ENTERED AT OHIO RELAYS

Coach Olds has entered three relay teams at the Ohio Relays to be held next Friday and Saturday. He may enter Seed in the pole vault. Last year the teams were successful and returned with gold watches which are given as awards to members of winning teams.

The half-mile relay team should prove superior in its race as the college is well equipped with sprinters. About ten men will be trying out for that team.

The one-mile team, although it has been defeated twice by City College, is nevertheless one of the fastest in the Mid-West.

The two-mile team was an easy winner at the state carnival and will be ready for a lively fight. Coach Olds expects his teams to do something and present indications further his hopes.

MARGARET PIPER Y. W. PRESIDENT

The appointive members of the new Y. W. C. A. cabinet were announced at cabinet meeting Wednesday afternoon. These are the chairmen of the Y. W. standing committees.

The complete list of officers is as follows:

President—Margaret Piper.
Vice-president—Reva Jarman.
Secretary—Evelyn Edwards.
Treasurer—Dorothy Roberts.
Undergraduate representative—Ethel Lathers.

The following are the chairmen of Social Service—Ardath Crouse. Social—Mildred Alexander. Publicity—Aileen Fisher. House—Nettie Whitaker. Finance—Betty Barth. Vespers—Ruth Gamble. Bible Discussion—Ruth Stevens. World Fellowship—Olga Harem. Music—Marian Perkins.

Ray Binns, A. B. 1922, was a campus visitor Wednesday.

When your instructor signed your card you were officially enrolled in the class and may not leave it permanently without permission from the President, Registrar or Dean of Women. A student who leaves a class without permission is regarded as absent and may receive a failure in the course at the close of the term.

REGULAR WORK IS FOUR SUBJECTS

REGISTRAR GIVES INFORMATION ABOUT EXTRA SUBJECTS, ETC.

The maximum amount of work which a student may carry during a term in the regular year without securing permission from the Extra Study Committee is four academic subjects and any two of the following required non-credit subjects: Music 4c, Penmanship and Physical Training. Students who enroll in more than the amount stated above without securing permission will not receive credit for the extra subject. The Extra Study Committee has authority to grant one extra subject but who enroll in more than the amount allowed will not receive credit for the additional course even if such course has been completed.

Your classification card, fully signed by all of your instructors, should be in the General Office at the earliest possible date. Please be prompt in this matter and thus save the General Office a considerable amount of work.

CAPTAIN PEEL WINS IN HURDLE RACE

YPSI MEDLEY RELAY TEAM
TAKES SECOND PLACE
AT CARNIVAL

The special carnival at Detroit last Monday and Tuesday, sponsored by the Michigan A. A. U., attracted many national track men and college athletes. Ypsi entered sprinters and hurdlers and also two relay teams.

The medley relay team composed of Otto, Snarey, Carpenter and Wetzel was defeated on the opening night by the University of Michigan team. Tuesday night Ypsi's one-mile team defeated the U. of M. team but yielded to City College of Detroit.

Captain Bob Peel won the high hurdle event from a fast field. Bob took the lead right from the pits and held it all the way.

Among the stars competing at the coliseum were Nurmi, the world's greatest runner; Ritola, winner of two events at the 1924 Olympics; Joie Ray of Illinois A. C.; Jackson Sholz of Boston A. C., world's 200 meter champion; Lloyd Hahn of Boston A. A., and DeHart Hubbard of Michigan.

Y. W. FINANCE CAMPAIGN WILL BE HELD NEXT WEEK

The Y. W. C. A. finance campaign will begin next week. Before asking for the contributions the "Y" girls believe that students should know why the Y. W. C. A. is an organization worthy of support. The Y. W. serves students by: providing rooms for study, reading or sleep; co-operating with the Y. M. C. A. and the city churches in holding religious meetings; conducting weekly vesper services; offering a place to meet friends and doing social service—both local and foreign social service work.

Starkweather Hall, the Y. W. C. A. building, is a social center for all organizations on the campus. The estimated expenditures of the "Y" are \$2,525 with an income of \$1,725, leaving \$800 to be raised by student and faculty subscription Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week.

Passion Week has been observed at Starkweather by morning services this week.

123 GRADUATES AT WINTER TERM CONVOCATION

LARGE CLASS RECEIVES DI-
PLOMAS AT PEASE ON
MARCH 26

TEACHER GRADUATE 'HEIR OF THE AGES'

Dr. Ford Stresses Duties of Teachers and Students in Convocation Address

Eight students received the Bachelor of Arts degree, two the Bachelor of Science degree and 112 received life certificates at the winter term convocation on Thursday morning, March 26. President McKenny presided. Rev. William Shaw gave the invocation. A vocal solo by Mrs. Annis Dexter Gray, piano solo by Miss Grace Emery, a number by the Normal String Quartet and selections by Mosher's College Orchestra were the musical features of the program.

In "Our Inheritance," Dr. Ford gave a discourse of the wealth that has accrued in learning, in religion and in our political and social life. He especially stressed that students and teachers were the caretakers of the wealth of the ages, and that they were to act as interpreter, transmitting and expanding the treasures of the past to the coming generations.

Dr. Ford emphasized the importance of racial history in inheritance by citing the records of the Edwards and Jukes families.

He told how mathematics, astronomy, art and literature began with the first man of Europe and how as ages passed wisdom accumulated and was transmitted on to man of today.

"What are we going to do with this wealth of the ages?", asked Dr. Ford, in stressing the part that he believes teachers and students should take in preserving and passing on treasures of the past. He stated that the teachers should act as a leader and guide in patriotism, that intelligence was the only safeguard of citizenship and that religion has been our inheritance through the stamp of Puritanism.

To teach the child good taste and a high regard for others is part of the duties of the teacher as a leader and guide and as a guardian of the treasures of mankind, said Dr. Ford.

SPRING FOOTBALL PRACTICE STARTED

The opening of the spring term opened outdoor practice for three Normal teams with the baseball team at Recreation Park, the football team on the old field and the track team on the new track.

Coach Ryneearson, who is to coach here next year, has charge of the spring football practice this week. Coach Brown will be his able assistant in teaching the men football tactics. About thirty candidates reported for practice this week. Most of them are from last fall's squad.

BASEBALL SCHEDULE

April 15—Kalamazoo College, away.
April 16—Kalamazoo Normal, away.
April 18—Albion, away.
April 24—Alma, at home.
April 29—Hillsdale, away.
May 2—Kalamazoo Normal, at home.
May 6—Olivet, at home.
May 8—Alma, away.
May 9—Mt. Pleasant, away.
May 15—Albion, at home.
May 16—Kalamazoo College, at home.
May 20—St. Mary's (Orchard Lake), away.
May 22—Olivet, away.
May 23—Hillsdale, at home.
May 27—St. Mary's, at home.
May 29—Mt. Pleasant, at home.
June 5 and 6—Field Day at Albion.

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WANTED!

The Normal News wants poems, funny sketches and features, in fact, literary efforts of any sort, to enliven its feature department. There certainly must be some literary talent in the college. Come on, let us get your contribution. While we cannot guarantee to make anyone rich, contributors will have the satisfaction of seeing their words in print. Later in the term an elegant fur-trimmed windmill and a silver mustache cup will be offered as prizes. Leave contributions at the Normal News office or drop them in the News boxes in the halls.

CLASS GIVES FOUR PROGRAM OF PLAYS

The play production class closed their course with two programs of plays which were presented in the Little Theatre on Wednesday and Thursday, March 25 and 26.

Four programs were given during the term. Each program consisted of two or three short plays. The class did all of the staging, costuming and acting. These phases of the work furnished the practical problems for the students to work out. Visitors at the plays were charged a slight admission fee to cover the cost of production.

TEMPLE READY FOR PARTY SATURDAY

The remodelled and re-decorated Masonic Temple, closed since the fire in December, will be re-opened Saturday night with an all-college dance. The number of tickets sold will not exceed 300. Any one wishing to secure tickets in advance may obtain them from Mrs. Burton this afternoon in the Dean's waiting room. The next party will be April 18.

GRADUATES GIVEN FIRST INSTRUCTIONS

Registrar C. P. Steimle gave instructions to students who expect to graduate in June at a meeting held in Pease Auditorium yesterday. All students who expect to graduate in June on any curriculum and who were not present at the meeting should call at the General Office immediately for blanks to be filled out and filed at the General Office.

TRI-SIGS ELECT NEW OFFICERS

Officers for Sigma Sigma for the spring term are:
President—Gertrude Sinclair.
Vice-president—Monica O'Melay.
Corresponding secretary—Esther Pece.
Recording secretary—Ruth Cavannah.
Treasurer—Annette Kelley.
The national convention of Sigma Sigma Sigma will be held at Norfolk, Va., in August. Jeanne Manion has been chosen delegate from Omicron chapter.

CONGREGATIONAL

The Easter Sunday service is held at 10 o'clock. The choir will provide special music and Mr. Colburn will preach an Easter sermon. The students' class is in charge of Professor F. B. McKay. The topic for Sunday morning is, "Jesus, the Great Teacher." In the evening at 7:30, a special service will be held which will be attended by the Ypsilanti Commandery of Knights Templar. Masonic students especially are invited.

ANNUAL HATCHET SHARPENER MAY 8

COUNTY NORMAL CLASSES TO BE GUESTS OF RURAL ED. DEPT.

Plans are now under way for the annual Hatchet Sharpener to be held on May 8 this year. This affair is the biggest rural education event of the year. The campus is given over to that department for the day.

The normal classes of the nearby county normals will be guests here at that time. The children from the rural training and zone schools will be on the campus for the day.

Specimens of the children's work during the year will be exhibited. Miss Elizabeth Whittlesey, supervisor of music for rural training schools, will conduct a musical program at Pease Auditorium during the afternoon.

ASSOC. OF SPEECH TEACHERS FORMED

An organization of especial interest to speech students is the Michigan Association of Teachers of Speech formed last Friday at Ann Arbor during the meeting of the Schoolmasters' Club.

The new association aims to put speech courses in the high schools of the state as regular academic studies. A definite program has been mapped out and action to accomplish that aim will be begun at once.

Officers of the association are: President, Professor H. L. Ewbank of Albion College; vice-president, Professor F. B. McKay of M. S. N. C.; secretary-treasurer, Anna T. McGurk of Ann Arbor high school.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LECTURE SUNDAY

Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock there will be given in Pease Auditorium, a lecture on Christian Science. The lecturer is Dr. Walton Hubbard of Los Angeles, Cal., a member of the board of lecture-ship of the mother church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass. The lecture is free to the public and faculty and students of the college are invited.

MINERVA LITERARY

The first regular meeting of the Minerva Literary Society for the spring term was held April 7 at the home of Miss Beal on Congress Street.

A short business meeting preceded the program, at which Elizabeth Harwick was elected president for the spring term to fill the vacancy left by the illness of the president.

"Joan" by George Bernard Shaw was well read by Delphine Varney.

MILDRED SARGENT DEAD

Mildred Ruth, nineteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sargent, died of pneumonia at her home in Jackson Tuesday afternoon, March 31. She is survived by her parents and one brother, Leland. Miss Sargent was a member of the class of 1924 of Jackson High School and an active member of the Junior Dorcas Charitable Society. Miss Sargent was a freshman, at Ypsilanti, specializing in art and music. She was a member of the Normal Choir and the Alpha Mu Sigma sorority.

FIRST METHODIST

8-8:30 a. m.—Wesleyan Guild morning watch service, led by Miss Burchell. Marie Laing will play the violin.

10:00 a. m.—Morning worship. Easter sermon by the pastor, Easter music, baptism and reception of members.

11:30 a. m.—Wesleyan Guild Bible Class. Dr. M. S. Pittman is the leader. Subject, "The Significance of Jesus' Resurrection."

6:30 p. m.—Wesleyan Guild devotional service. Professor J. Stuart Lathers will give readings apropos of Easter. Miss Irma Johnston will sing.

7:30 p. m.—Happy evening hour. The choir will sing the cantata, "Death and Life" by Shelly.

Miss Florence Lytle, professor of home economics, has left the department here to assume the position of supervisor of clothing in the schools of McKeesport, Pa. Only members of the faculty knew Miss Lytle was leaving.

Dr. Nathan A. Harvey spent the week end at Buffalo, N. Y.

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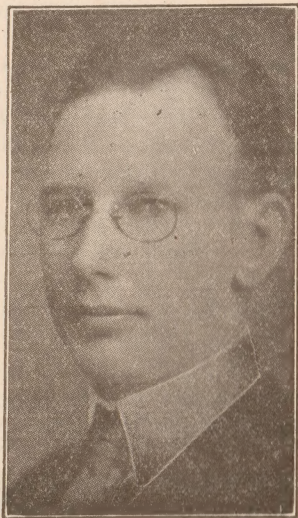
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The problem of sex equality is freshly treated in the book by the French writers, Mathilde and Mathias Vaerting, which they call, "The dominant sex." The authors' contention is that the chief differences between the sexes are mainly determined by the dominance of one sex over the other. In various states in primitive times, woman was dominant and then possessed all the traits which we are now accustomed to call "masculine." Now that the pendulum has swung the other way we call her characteristics "feminine," when they are merely those of a subordinate sex. The authors conclude that no civilization can reach its highest development under a mono-sexual government and that the ideal government is one in which the sexes are absolutely equal. It is altogether a highly suggestive and stimulating book, written in a most interesting style.

RECENT ACCESSIONS

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Brooks, Robert C., Political parties and electoral problems. 1923.
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Forster, E. M., Passage to India. 1924.
Grenfell, Wilfred T., Yourself and your body. 1924.
Hart, Joseph K., Discovery of intelligence. 1924.
Henius, Frank, A. B. C. of foreign trade. 1920.
Kaempfert, Waldemar, Popular history of American inventors. 1924.
Kent, Rockwell, Voyaging southward from the strait of Magellan. 1924.
Laut, Agnes C., Fur trade of America. 1921.
MacCurdy, George Grant, Human origins. 1924.
Peters, Charles C., Foundations of educational sociology. 1924.
Schweinitz, Karl de, Art of helping people out of trouble. 1924.
Vachell, Horace A., The hill. 1906.
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Weeks, Raymond, Boy's own arithmetic. 1924.
Winslow, Kenelon, Prevention of disease in the individual. 1923.
Waight, H. W., Self-realization. 1913.

CONSERVATORY MUSIC RECITALS

Wednesday, April 15—Mary Cumings.
Wednesday, May 20—Esther Finch.
Wednesday, May 27—Marion Martin.
Wednesday, June 3—Florence Parker.
Other recitals:
Sunday, 4 p. m., April 26—Carl Lindgren.
Wednesday, April 29—James Breakay.
Thursday, June 4—Miss Lillian Ashby and Edward Mosher.
Monday, June 8—Carl Lindgren's pupils.

DANCE ART FROLIC

The classes of Miss Naffz and Miss Maher entertained each other at the Dance Art Frolic Wednesday evening, March 25. This was a mixer for music and art students and freshman physical education specializing girls. Natural dancing in costume was substituted for social dancing. The girls presented group and solo dances. Refreshments were served during the evening. The experiment of this new kind of mixer proved very successful and most entertaining.

'24 ALUMNA MARRIED

Miss Phyllis Grace Stearns, '24 alumna, was married to Mr. Russell E. Lewis on Saturday, March 28. Mrs. Lewis has been teaching in Springwells, Mich.

GRADUATE RECITAL OF MARY CUMINGS

The first of the season's graduation recitals will be given next Wednesday evening, April 15, at 8 o'clock by Miss Mary Cumings, soprano-pianiste. All lovers of music are cordially invited to the recital. Miss Cumings will be our first graduate to give a program of both vocal and piano literature in a single recital. Mr. Edward Mosher, violinist, will assist. Professor Frederick Alexander and Miss Marion Martin will furnish the accompaniments.

ALUMNI MAKE VACA- TION CALLS TO CAMPUS

Several alumni made vacation calls at the Normal last week. Louie Hayes of the Cass Technical High School, Detroit, was on the campus. Mr. Hayes is in charge of all continuation work in the Detroit schools.

Others were Elsie E. Cooper, acting supervisor of foreign language department in the Northwestern High School, Detroit; Agnes Dodge Corbin, teaching physical education in the Kalamazoo public schools.

Otto Nickel, who is attending Northwestern University, was back last week end.

PRESBYTERIAN

Easter music and sermon at 10 o'clock. Subject of morning sermon, "The Risen Christ." Preaching service in the evening at 7:30 o'clock. Subject of sermon, "The Power of His Resurrection."

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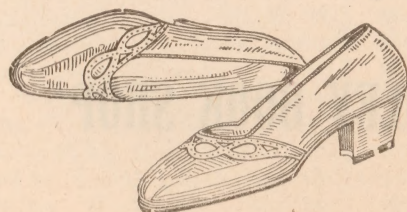
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WOMEN'S LEAGUE

SCHOOLMASTERS' CLUB

There was a meeting of one division of the Schoolmasters' Club, the Deans and Girls Advisors, in Ann Arbor Friday, April 3. The Dean and one or two girl representatives from each college and university in Michigan attended the convention. Ruth Bayler, president of the Women's League, and Mary Long were the representatives from the Michigan State Normal College.

Luncheon was served at the Michigan Union for all the visitors. Immediately after the luncheon, the girls held their meeting at the Martha Cook dormitory. The Deans of the various schools held their meeting at the Michigan Union building.

The Dean of Women at Kalamazoo presided at the girls' meeting and Dean Hamilton of the University of Michigan was also present.

At this meeting, the various problems found among girls at college were discussed. First, they discussed the student handbook project. A committee was formed to revise and publish a student handbook which can be used by any college or university in the state of Michigan. They also talked about the best way to present these student handbooks to girls on the campuses.

The subject of the Y. W. C. A. on the college campus was talked over by the girls.

Another topic brought up was that of rushing, both for literary societies and sororities.

A subject that was fully discussed was that of student government. At the University of Michigan there are no girls on the Student Council and at some colleges there are no Men's Unions. This situation gave rise to the question of just where the authority of the girls' organizations should end and that of the Student Council begin. This was talked over thoroughly by the girls.

The girls also talked about the Big Sister Movement. Some of the colleges have been especially successful in this movement. Girls from these colleges are going to write to Ruth Bayler and tell her just how and why they succeeded, so that by next year the girls will have the Big Sister Movement "going good" on the Normal College campus.

This concluded the meeting and afterward, Bernice Thompson, house president of the Martha Cook building, took the whole body of girls on a "sight-seeing" tour through the dormitory. This was very interesting to all the visitors, especially those from the smaller colleges of the state.

NORMAL CHOIR AP-
PEARS IN DETROIT

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year's task by ordinary conductors of college choirs. Not so, Professor Alexander. No sooner is the winter term begun than he institutes the rigorous disciplining and coaching for the St. Matthew Passion music. How he leads these untrained voices to work out the infinite number of details and inspires them with the mighty character of the work is a mystery to all musicians, and the director alone knows the secret.

When it is considered that only eleven weeks are used in preparation, one is amazed at the maturity of the results. To the evident technical merits of the choir are to be added a remarkable insight into the spirit of Bach, and this in one of his most intricate masterpieces. This year the choir has a finer sensitiveness in response, it is a greater artistic unit, and its voice, therefore, is the more authoritative; the sermon it sings in the Passion music was correspondingly more eloquent and inspiring.

It is entirely fitting that the choir should give the Passion music in Detroit. Thus is afforded this well-known musical organization two highly significant appearances, at Christmas and in Lent, both of which the Detroit music-lovers have requested. In this way a greater public is served and the high musical standards of the college presented in a most convincing manner.

Professor Alexander may feel

NO CAT'S WHISKERS
IN THIS BLAZE

Two Normal College girls were "burned out" and seven others were in danger of being so in a fire which Wednesday afternoon ruined the third floor of their rooming house at 217 North Summit, run by Mrs. Kelsey.

No, there were no cat's whiskers. It was a real fire. From an unknown cause, thought to be the chimney, fire broke out in the third floor of the house at about 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon. The fire department succeeded in getting the blaze extinguished in a short time, but not before the entire top story had been ruined.

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gratified that his appearance with the choir either in Ypsilanti or Detroit is the occasion for the presence of the leading musicians of the state. Notable among these was Ossip Gabrilowitsch at the afternoon service in Detroit, who spoke in the highest terms of the director's work. A distinguished name for himself has already been made by Mr. Alexander as a conductor of the Russian liturgical and other Christmas choral music. And now this noteworthy performance of the Bach adds a significant importance to it. Certainly he may be termed a "musician's musician." We can only wonder what new worlds he will next set out to conquer.

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Night, Adults 40c and 50c, Children 25c

SUNDAY, APRIL 12

Madge Bellamy and Warner Baxter in "His Forgotten Wife." Comedy—"Clean Up Week." Five Acts of Vaudeville.

Admission: Matinee, Adults 30c and 40c, Children 15c
Night, Adults 40c and 50c, Children 25c

MONDAY AND TUESDAY, APRIL 13-14

Reginald Denny and Mary Astor in "Oh, Doctor." Comedy—Ben Turpin in "A Razzberry Romance."

Admission: Matinee, Adults 20c, Children 10c
Night, Adults 25c and 35c, Children 10c

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15

Matinee: 2:30 Feature, 3:40 Comedy, 4:00 Vaudeville, 4:45

Feature. Night: 7:00 Comedy, 7:20 Feature, 8:40

Vaudeville, 9:25 Comedy, 9:45 Feature.

Nazimova in "The Redeeming Sin" with Lou Tellegen, Otis Harlan, Carleton D. Miller and Rosita Marstini. Comedy—Glenn Tyron in "The Haunted Honeymoon." Five Acts of Vaudeville.

Admission: Matinee, Adults 25c and 30c, Children 10c
Night, Adults 40c and 50c, Children 25c

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, APRIL 16-17

Lionel Barrymore in "I Am the Man" with Seena Owen, Gaston Glass, Flora LeBreton and Joe Striker. Comedy—Harry Langdon in "Boobs in the Woods."

Admission: Matinee, Adults 20c, Children 10c
Night, Adults 25c and 35c, Children 10c

COMING: D. W. Griffith's "Isn't Life Wonderful"—Pauline Frederick and Laura LaPlante in "Smouldering Fires"—Douglas Fairbanks in "The Thief of Bagdad"—"Daughters of the Night"—"Cheap Kisses"—"One Glorious Night."

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Saturday, March 28—Richard Dix in "Manhattan." Also Comedy and News.

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, March 29-30-31—Gloria Swanson and Ben Lyon in "Wages of Virtue." Added Comedy, Larrm Semon in "Her Boy Friend," and News.

Wednesday and Thursday, April 1-2—James Cruze presents "The City That Never Sleeps," featuring Ricardo Cortez, Louis Dresser, Kathlyn Williams and Virginia Lee Corbin. Added Comedy and News.

Friday and Saturday, April 3-4—Bebe Daniels in "Miss Bluebeard." Added Comedy and News.

COMING

Barbara LaMarr in "Sandra."
Constance Talmadge in "Learning to Love."
Corrine Griffith in "Love's Wilderness."
Eleanor Boardman and Conrad Nagel in "Excuse Me."
Doris Kenyon and Lloyd Hughes in "If I Marry Again."
Alice Terry and Conway Tearle in "The Great Divide."
Milton Sills and Viola Dana in "As Man Desires."
Lon Chaney in "He Who Gets Slapped."